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11 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
12
13 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

14 AMERICAN PRESIDENT LINES, LTD., and
15 APL CO, Pte., LTD,

16 Plaintiff,

17 v.

18 HARTFORD FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, a
19 corporation,

20 Defendant.

No. C05 4717 MMC

DECLARATION OF SHARON R.
BIEDERMAN REQUESTING
TELEPHONIC COURT APPEARANCE; ORDER
THEREON
Date: MARCH 31, 2006

TIME:

PLACE:

21 I, Sharon R. Biederman, declare:

- 22 1. I am an attorney at law licensed to practice before all the courts of the State of
23 California including this court. As to the facts contained in this declaration, I
24 could and would competently testify in a court of law because they are
25 personally known to me to be true.
26 2. I am a sole practitioner and am out of the country. I will not be able to appear
personally in this court at the Status Conference set for March 31, 2006.

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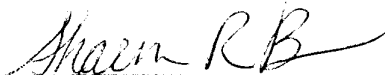
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1 3. I therefore request that the court allow me to appear by telephone on that date.

2 4. I have contacted opposing counsel and he has agreed to this request.

3 Executed this 27th day of March 2006, at Toronto, Canada.

4 I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California and the
5 United States that the foregoing is true and correct.
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8 Sharon R. Biederman, Declarant

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10 The above request to appear by telephone is hereby GRANTED. Counsel for all parties shall appear by
11 telephone and shall be available for the case management conference as of 10:30 a.m. In the future, should
12 counsel wish to appear by telephone, counsel shall comply with Civil Local Rule 16-10(a).

13 Dated: March 29, 2006

